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1. There is a great deal of jealousy between the Ministry of Foreign Trade and the Ministry of Shipping, both of which are responsible for carrying out the "plan" of purchases abroad.
2. Centromor officials (under the Ministry of Foreign Trade) tend to use Ministry of Shipping facilities abroad without prior consultation, and this attitude is resented both by the Ministry of Shipping in Poland and local offices abroad. The Ministry of Shipping resents this interference on principle, while the local representatives resent it because their time is taken up with transactions and negotiations which are not credited to them if brought to a successful end.

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